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Pursuant to your request of Wednesday, January 22, 2003, enclosed please find three copies of the Amended Appeal Brief as originally filed on September 24, 2002 in application serial number 09/714,883 (Attorney Docket Number LEX-0092-USA). Please contact me at (281) 863-3399 if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

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The Applicants acknowledge the receipt of the Paper Number 20, mailed on January 14, 2003, which has been carefully reviewed and studied. Applicants herewith submit three copies of the Amended Appeal Brief, which was originally filed in triplicate on September 24, 2002.

Applicants believe no fees are due in connection with this response. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0892.

Respectfully submitted,

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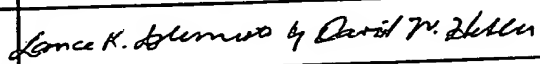
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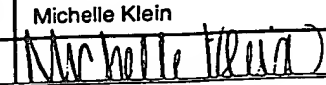
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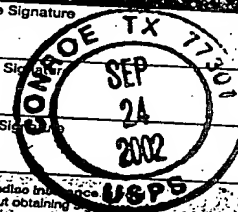
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